

PROB 12B  
(PAWP 4/16)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

**Request for Modifying the Conditions or Term of Supervision  
with Consent of the Offender**  
*(Probation Form 49, Waiver of Hearing is Attached)*

Offender:	Emerson Winfield Begolly	Docket No.: 2:11CR00029
Sentencing Judge:	Maurice B. Cohill, Jr., Senior United States District Judge	
Assigned Judge:	David S. Cercone, United States District Judge	
Date of Original Sentence:	July 16, 2013	
Original Offense:	Using and Carrying a Firearm During and in Relation to a Crime	
Original Sentence:	60 months of imprisonment; 60 months of supervised release	
Special conditions:	Special Assessment, Mental Health Treatment, Computer Search, Computer/Internet Restrictions, Search/Seizure, Other Condition	
Type of Supervision:	Supervised Release	Date Supervision Commenced: June 1, 2018
Prior Court History:	06-12-2018: Conditions modified with consent of defendant	

**PETITIONING THE COURT**

Your petitioner is requesting the following:

☒ To modify the conditions of supervision as follows:

To remove the following conditions:

- All online communications/activities must be conducted in English for the purpose of enforcing the computer monitoring restrictions.
- The defendant shall not host a website as an administrator/moderator at any time while under supervision.

To add the following conditions:

- You must not access, view, use or possess any extremist media. "Extremist media" means material, such as literature, video, photos, social media, from groups or individuals who promote the use of violence to further an ideological or religious cause. If you inadvertently access, view, use or possess such material you must immediately report this to the probation officer.
- You must not knowingly associate, communicate, or otherwise interact, with any member of the ISIS or ISOL organization, or any other known terrorist or extremist group or individual. This includes persons who are, or claim to be, involved with violent acts, or advocating for acts of violence. If you inadvertently associate, communicate, or otherwise interact with a known terrorist or extremist group or individual you must immediately report this to the probation officer.
- You are prohibited from conducting online activities or communicating with anyone online in a language other than English, unless approved in advance by the probation officer. You must notify your probation officer immediately should you inadvertently view material in a language other than English either online or through other forms of media that were not previously approved by the probation officer. If it is discovered that you have viewed material or communicated with others in a language other than English, to include any online media, material, or websites, the probation office may use a third party to translate any written or online media, material, or websites, for purposes of screening them for approval or determining if they violate conditions of release.

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**CAUSE**

Based on the history, characteristics, and nature of the offense these conditions would enhance our ability to effectively supervise the offender in the community.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Respectfully Submitted,  David J. Danko  
2022.05.31  
10:31:24 -04'00'

By: \_\_\_\_\_

David Danko  
U.S. Probation Officer  
Approved By:  Tara Kessler  
2022.05.31 10:29:56 -04'00'

Tara Kessler  
Supervisory U.S. Probation Officer  
Date: 5/31/2022

**THE COURT ORDERS:**

- ☐ No Action  
☐ The extension of supervision as noted above.  
☒ The Modification of conditions as noted above  
☐ Other

s/ DAVID STEWART CERCONE

David S. Cercone, United States District Judge

6/1/2022

Date